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EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine early childhood development and education in Indian country, focusing on building a foundation for academic success, after receiving testimony from Linda K. Smith, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services and Inter-Departmental Liaison for Early Childhood Development, Administration for Children and Families; Danny Wells, Chickasaw Nation Division of Education, Ada, Oklahoma; Barbara Fabre, White Earth Nation Child Care/Early Childhood Program, White Earth, Minnesota, on behalf of the National

Indian Child Care Association; Jacquelyn Power, Blackwater Community School, Coolidge, Arizona, on behalf of the Family and Child Education Program; and Elizabeth Jane Costello, Duke University School of Medicine, Durham, North Carolina.

COMPETITION IN THE WIRELESS MARKET

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights concluded a hearing to examine competition in the wireless market, after receiving testimony from Eric B. Graham, C Spire Wireless, Ridgeland, Mississippi; Roslyn Layton, Aalborg University, Denmark; Randal S. Milch, Verizon Communications Inc., New York, New York; Jonathan Spalter, Mobile Future, Berkeley, California; and Kathleen O'Brien Ham, T-Mobile USA, Inc., and Matthew F. Wood, Free Press, both of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 14 public bills, H.R. 4090–4103; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 491, were introduced. **Pages H2000–01**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H2001–02**

Report Filed:

A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 492, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 899) to provide for additional safeguards with respect to imposing Federal mandates, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–362). **Page H2000**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Ros-Lehtinen to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H1941**

Recess: The House recessed at 10:39 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon. **Page H1945**

Suspension: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

Taxpayer Transparency Act of 2014: H.R. 3308, amended, to require a Federal agency to include language in certain educational and advertising materials indicating that such materials are produced and disseminated at taxpayer expense. **Pages H1947–50**

Suspension—Proceedings Resumed: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure which was debated yesterday, February 25th:

Private Property Rights Protection Act: H.R. 1944, to protect private property rights, by a 2/3 yeas-and-nays vote of 353 yeas to 65 nays, Roll No. 67. **Page H1960**

Stop Targeting of Political Beliefs by the IRS Act of 2014: The House passed H.R. 3865, to prohibit the Internal Revenue Service from modifying the standard for determining whether an organization is operated exclusively for the promotion of social welfare for purposes of section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, by a recorded vote of 243 yeas to 176 noes, Roll No. 69. **Pages H1960–71**

Rejected the Van Hollen motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 191 yeas to 230 nays, Roll No. 68. **Pages H1968–70**

Rejected the Polis amendment to the title by a recorded vote of 177 yeas to 241 noes, Roll No. 70. **Page H1970**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. **Page H1961**

H. Res. 487, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 3865) and (H.R. 2804), was agreed to by a recorded vote of 231 yeas to 185 noes, Roll No. 66, after the previous question was ordered by a yeas-and-nays vote of 224 yeas to 192 nays, Roll No. 65. **Pages H1950–60**

All Economic Regulations are Transparent Act of 2014: The House began consideration of H.R. 2804, to amend title 5, United States Code, to require the Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs to publish information about rules on the Internet. Consideration of the measure is expected to resume tomorrow, February 27th.

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Pursuant to the rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 113–38 shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform now printed in the bill.

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Agreed to:

Brady (TX) amendment (No. 4 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that requires federal agencies to identify in any Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPR) the achievable objective of the proposed rule and the metrics to be used. The amendment also requires federal agencies in issuing final rules to certify that the rule meets the objectives the agency identified in the NPR;

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Rigell amendment (No. 5 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that expands the requirements of initial regulatory flexibility analyses to include an analysis of any impairment of the ability of small entities to have access to credit; and

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Tipton amendment (No. 6 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that makes a technical correction that ensures the current requirement, under the Regulatory Flexibility Act, that each agency annually publish a list of regulations to be reviewed pursuant to its periodic review plan, remains so.

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Rejected:

Johnson (GA) amendment (No. 1 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that sought to strike the six month moratorium on finalizing rules and

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Murphy (FL) amendment (No. 2 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that sought to cut titles II and IV from the bill.

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Proceedings Postponed:

Rothfus amendment (No. 3 printed in H. Rept. 113–361) that seeks to add terms to define a negative-impact on jobs and wages rule, help agencies identify a negative-impact on jobs and wages rule, and require agency heads approving a negative-impact on jobs and wages rule to submit a statement that they approved the rule knowing of its negative-impact on jobs and wages.

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Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Members on the part of the House to the Board of Trustees of Gallaudet University: Representatives Yoder and Butterfield.

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British-American Interparliamentary Group—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Member on the part of the House to the British-American Interparliamentary Group: Representative Roe (TN).

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Discharge Petition: Representative Bishop (NY) presented to the clerk a motion to discharge the Committee on Education and the Workforce from the consideration of H.R. 1010, to provide for an increase in the Federal minimum wage (Discharge Petition No. 7).

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H1971.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1959, H1959–60, H1960, H1969–70, H1970, and H1970–71. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

Committee Meetings

EFFORTS TO STOP HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies held a hearing entitled "The State of Efforts to Stop Human Trafficking". Testimony was heard from Cindy McCain, Co-Chairperson, Arizona Governor's Task Force on Human Trafficking; William Woolf, Detective, Fairfax County, Virginia Police Department; and public witnesses.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government held a hearing on Oversight of Internal Revenue Service. Testimony was heard from John Koskinen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Service; J. Russell George, Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration; and Nina E. Olson, National Taxpayer Advocate, Internal Revenue Service.

QUALITY OF LIFE IN THE MILITARY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies held a hearing on Quality of Life in the